Losses Incurred by N.D.D.B

530. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have ordered an investigation into the losses incurred by National Dairy Development Board on account of MIO during the last three years;

(b) whether Government propose to re-examine the concept of MIO to save the N.D..D.B from losses; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a): Government are examining the accounts of National Dairy Development Board to assess the Governments liabilities for reimbursement of losses under MIO.

(b) and (c): Government is also considering ways & means to contain losses in future.

International Conference on Natural Disaster

531. DR. SANJAY SINH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether an international conference on natural Disaster held recently in New Delhi has recommended integration of Disaster mitigation aspect with development plants;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what action Government propose to take in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) to (c): The Scientific and Technical Committee (STC) for the Initernational Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction (INDR) constituted by the United Nations General Assembly held its Fourth Session in New Delhi from 1-5 February, 1993. While discussing economic aspects of disaster mitigation policies, the STC emphasised need for integranting mitigation measures in development planning. In India, this aspect has received adequate attention. While formulating 8th Plan proposals, the Planning Commission have already kept in view the scope for integrating disaster management programme in development process.

उत्तर प्रदेश में उर्वरकों की खपत

532. **श्री राम नरेश यादव :**

क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) विगत दो वर्षों के दौरान उत्तर प्रदेश में उर्वरकों की प्रति हैक्टेयर खपत कितनी रही है; और

(ख) क्या केन्द्र सरकार द्वारा चालू वर्ष के दौरान उर्वरकों के समुचित प्रयोग हेतु किसानों को सहायता प्रदान करने की संभावना है?

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री अरविन्द नेताम): (क) पिछले दो वर्षों के दौरान उत्तर प्रदेश में पोषकतत्वों वाले उर्वरकों की अनुमानित प्रति हैक्टेयर खपत नीचे दी गई है:—

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